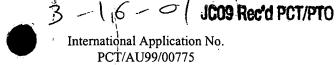


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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 USC 371

International Application No.:

PCT/AU99/00775

International Filing Date:

September 15, 1999

Priority Date Claimed:

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Title of Invention:

A METHOD OF TREATMENT AND AGENTS USEFUL FOR SAME

Applicant(s) for DO/EO/US:

Thomas Mathew Cocks and James David Moffatt

Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

- 1. (X) This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 USC 371.
- 2. (X) This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 USC 371(f)) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 USC 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).
- 3. (x) A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.
- 4. (X) A copy of the International Application as filed (35 USC 371(c)(2))
  - a) (X) has been transmitted by the International Bureau.
- 5. (X) Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 USC 371(c)(3))
  - a) (X) have not been made and will not be made.
- 6. (X) A copy of the International Preliminary Examination Report with any annexes thereto, such as any amendments made under PCT Article 34.
- 7. (X) A FIRST preliminary amendment.
- 8. (X) A copy of the International Application as published.
- 9. (X) Applicants qualify for Small Entity Status
- 10. (X) PCT Form PCT/IPEA/402.
- 11. (X) PCT Form PCT/IB/308.
- 12. (X) A return prepaid postcard.
- 13. (X) The following fees are submitted:

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14.	(X)	A check in the amount of \$540 to cover the above fees is enclosed.				
15.	(X)	The fee for later submission of the signed oath or declaration set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(e) will be paid upon submission of the declaration.				
16.	(X)	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge only those additional fees which may be required, now or in the future, to avoid abandonment of the application, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.				

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